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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 15, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.